



UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
 United States Patent and Trademark Office
 Address: COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
 P.O. Box 1450
 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450
 www.uspto.gov

BIB DATA SHEET

CONFIRMATION NO. 2602

SERIAL NUMBER 10/730,276	FILING or 371(c) DATE 12/09/2003 RULE	CLASS 206	GROUP ART UNIT 1797	ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. 79740-345358	
APPLICANTS Alain Tornier, Saint Ismier, FRANCE; ** CONTINUING DATA ***** ** FOREIGN APPLICATIONS ***** FRANCE 02 15600 12/10/2002 ** IF REQUIRED, FOREIGN FILING LICENSE GRANTED ** 03/15/2004					
Foreign Priority claimed <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No 35 USC 119(a-d) conditions met <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No Verified and /ELIZABETH L MCKANE/ Acknowledged Examiner's Signature	<input type="checkbox"/> Met after Allowance Initials	STATE OR COUNTRY FRANCE	SHEETS DRAWINGS 3	TOTAL CLAIMS 10	INDEPENDENT CLAIMS 1
ADDRESS FAEGRE & BENSON LLP PATENT DOCKETING 2200 WELLS FARGO CENTER 90 SOUTH SEVENTH STREET MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55402-3901 UNITED STATES					
TITLE Process for the sterile packaging of a polyethylene prosthetic implant					
FILING FEE RECEIVED 1350	FEES: Authority has been given in Paper No. _____ to charge/credit DEPOSIT ACCOUNT No. _____ for following:		<input type="checkbox"/> All Fees <input type="checkbox"/> 1.16 Fees (Filing) <input type="checkbox"/> 1.17 Fees (Processing Ext. of time) <input type="checkbox"/> 1.18 Fees (Issue) <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Credit		